In the Specification:

Please amend paragraphs 41 and 42 of the specification to read as follows.

[41] (Currently Amended) Fig. 9 is an enlarged view of the proximal end of a single use implanter in accord with another alternative embodiment of the present invention. In Fig. 9 an inner housing 90 or single use implanter having a knob 92, a plunger 96, a pin 95, a grip 91, a locking tee 93, and an inner lumen 94 is shown. The plunger 96 and the knob 92 may be preferably attached to one another and may be preferably slidable back and forth past the grip 91 and the locking tee 93 in the lumen 94. The pin 95, which may pass through holes in the plunger and knob assembly and the grip 91, may be used to lock the plunger and knob assembly to the grip 91 and to prevent them from moving relative to one another.

[42] (Currently Amended) Fig. 10 is a side view of the proximal end of the single use implanter from Fig. 9 placed within an outer housing 100. This outer housing 100 may contain lumen 104 that allows the inner housing 90 to slide back and forth within it. During use, after the distal end of the outer housing 100 has been placed at the target site in accord with procedures described above, the inner housing may be ~~slide~~ slid into the outer housing. This movement is identified by arrows 102. Then, when the implant located at the distal end of the inner housing needs to be deployed the inner housing may be pushed into the outer housing until the locking tee reaches the locking collar 101. At this point the piercing jaws located at the distal end of the inner housing will be preferably protruding out from the piercing jaws of the outer housing as described above. Then, in order to deploy the implant, the locking collar may be locked into the grooves 110 of the locking collar, the pin 95 may be removed from holes in the housings, and the knob 92 and plunger 96 may be pushed to deploy the implant from within the inner housing as described above. Alternatively, the locking tee and the locking collar may be mated but not locked together and the knob and plunger may be pushed.